UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA CENTRAL DIVISION

JUDITH CURRAN and MICHAEL EARP, for the use and benefit of the Principal Funds, Inc. Strategic Asset Management (SAM) Balanced Portfolio, Principal Strategic Growth Portfolio, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Principal Management Corporation, Principal Global Investors, LLC, and Principal Funds Distributor, Inc.,

Defendants.

Case No. 4:09-cv-00433-RP-CFB

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANTS

Action filed: October 28, 2009

TO THE CLERK OF THE COURT AND ALL ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

Notice is hereby given that Phillip R. Kaplan, admitted herein *pro hac vice* on January 8, 2010, Brian Neach, admitted herein *pro hac vice* on November 1, 2010, and O'Melveny & Myers LLP hereby withdraw as counsel for Defendants Principal Management Corporation, Principal Global Investors, LLC (terminated), and Principal Funds Distributor, Inc. in the above captioned civil action. Brian L. Campbell of Whitfield & Eddy PLC and Alfred Robert Pietrzak, Andrew W. Stern, Mark B. Blocker and Sarah H. Newman of Sidley Austin LLP, each admitted herein *pro hac vice* on June 3, 2011, continue as counsel for Defendants. Defendants have been notified of this withdrawal. This notice is being served via CM/ECF on all parties.

DATED: June 14, 2011

By: /s/ Phillip R. Kaplan

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true copy of Defendants' NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANTS was served upon the attorneys of record for each party to the above-entitled cause through the Court's CM/ECF electronic filing system on the 14th day of June 2011.

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